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LOK SABHA

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UPGRADING OF RESEARCH CENTRES
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to upgrade all research centres to institute status working under ICAR;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government have formulated a strategy to open research institutions dealing with specialisation of specific crops;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the number of such institutions proposed to be set up in Maharashtra, location-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. DEBENDRA PRADHAN)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) No Sir, there are Central Institutes, National Research Centres, Project Directorates and All India Coordinated Research Projects already conducting research on specific crops in different parts of the country.

(d) Does not arise.

(e) Does not arise.